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JUBILEE WEEK

MBERS OF THE CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART CELEBRATE QUARTER CENTURY ANNIVERSARY.

Imposing Religious Services on Sanday attended by over One Thousand People-Glowing Tributes paid to Father Nardiello in Union Hall Monday Night - Parochial School Children and Church Societies Cele- the people. brate the Silver Jubilee.

The silver jubilee services in honor of the quarter-century anniversary of the Rev. Joseph M. Nardiello's restorship over the Church of the Sacred Heart began on Sunday morning with an imposing religious service led by the Bishop of the diocese. Upwards of one thousand people attended the service. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and a choir and orchestra under the direction of Musical Director Martin Toobey, rendered mag nificent music.

Among the priests in attendance were Monsigner Stafford of Seton Hall, the Rev. T. A. Wallace, Chancellor of the diocese; the Very Rev. Dean Flynn of Morristown, Monsignor O'Grady of New Brunswick, Dean Mulligan of Camden, Fathers Ernest, Jody, Corrigan and McKeever of Newark, Fathers Ter Woert and Ryan of Jersey City, Kernan of Passale, Byrne of Caldwell, Vassalo of Summit, Dunn of Irvington, Federici of Plainfield, Whalen of Bayonne, Hogan of Trenton, and Farrington of Sayreville. The officers of the mass who celebrated with Bishop O'Connor in the sanctuary were Father Ter Woert, celebrant; Eathers Eagan and Dunn, descons; Dean Figns and Father Corrigan, subdescope. Father Wallace was master of ceremonlee.

The sirmou was preached by Father Brady of South Amboy, and at the close Father Nardiello delivered a short address, in which he congratulated his people on the work accomplished by them during the isst twenty-five years. Father Nardiello said the success of the church was largely due to their efforts. Father Nardiello then thanked the Bishop and visiting clergymen for attending the service.

The visitors were entertained at dinner by Father Nardiello in the new school ball in Liberty Street, while the Sieters of Charity were dined in the echool ball in State Street.

The veeper service in the evening was also largely attended. Father Cody preached the sermon. Other religious services in connection with the jubilee were held on Monday and Tuesday mornings in the church.

Public participation in the jubilee

week services took place Monday night in Union Hall, when addresses were made in the name of the community by the Rev. Father Byrne of Caldwell, who spoke for the church, Thomas Oakes for the townspeople, G. Lee Stout on Father Nardiello's interests and activities as a citizen of the town, Scott Lord of Gien Ridge on the temporal power of the Roman Catholic church, and Peter J. Quine, who on behalf of the parishloners of the Church of the Sacred Heart presented the rector with a purse containing a jubilee gift of \$1,500, subecribed by the people of the church. The exercises were interspersed with music by Coffman's orchestra and plano selections by Ferdinand Himmerlich. A vocal solo, "The Promise of Life," by Mies Nora Hickey; soprato soloist of the church, was one of the many pleasing features of the evening, and in response to an enthusiastic encore Miss Hickey sang "Believe me, if all these endearing young charms."

It was nearly half-past eight o'clock when Peter J. Quinn, Michael N. Higgins and Joseph Durr of the committee of arrangements entered the hall with Father Nardiello and a number of visiting clergy. The large crowd that the establishment of your first parcfilled the half and a large number of chiai school. At that time many of our guests on the platform arose and apuded vigorously until the procesonal party reached the platform, where ather Nardielio was greeted with a earty handshake by the people on the

Peter J. Quinn presided over the seeting and introduced as the first saker the Rev. Father Byrne of dwell, one of the oldest priests in Newark diocese. Father Byrne te in a happy strain. His reminises of the early condition of the pap Catholic churches in this vicinwere interesting. He paid a glowing oute to the late Father Hogan, who tuted the Church of the Immaculate eption in West Bloomfield in 1862; the was well known to the older rs of the Bloomfield parish which

large measure of praise for what had been done for the cause of Christ in the Bloomfield parish. Father Byrne portrayed the spiritual side of Father Nardiello's work among the people of his parish, and of blessings that had followed it. He closed his remarks with fervent wishes for the continued prosperity and growth of the Bloomfield parish, and for the spiritual and temporal welfare of its rector and people. Father Byrne's address deeply touched

Chairman Quinn next introduced Mr. Thomas Oakes as one of the citizens of the town who had always manifested a friendly interest in the Church of the Sacred Heart and its rector and people. Mr. Oakes responded as follows:

It gives me great pleasure to meet with you on this anniversary occasion, and join with you in expressions of good will and hearty commendation of the grand work that has been done in this parish under the efficient leadership of our friend Father Nardiello, who now completes a quarter of a century of faithful service in this town.

Those of us who 'can recall the announcement made twenty-five years ago that an Italian pricet had been assigned to this place to care for the interests of the Catholic church, will remember that much concern was manifest and many thought a great mistake had been made. sbly not an Italian family lived within our borders at that time, and one of another nationality, apparently, would have better suited the conditions then existing. But, my friends, all doubts are dispelled. The development of this parish under the marvellous leadership this Italian priest has put to slience all critics, and we are met this evening to unite with you in commending the wisdom of that appointment.

To those of us who have been on lookers, it would appear that Father Nardiello came to this town at a most inauspicious time. No church no parish existed, no services were held within the town. The interest of the Catholic population was divided between Believille and Montelair, where were located the nearest churches. He came unknown, unheralded, and I had almost said without friends. I do not wish to imply that he had any enemies. but no resident friends stood ready to welcome him to this place and share

With characteristic promptness proceeded to gather his people around him and institute the regular and formai church service in one of our public halls. His people were few in numbers loyal to him and his purposes. Tue erection of a church on Bloomfield Avenue was at once begue, and within a few months was ready for occupany.

and then commenced the first regular service held in a Catholic church in the town of Bloomfield. From that day to the present the advancement has been rapid and continuous. Church, schoolbouses, club-house, hall and rectory, and the establishment of a cemetery have all followed in quick succession. Magic like, they have sprung into existence to meet the demands of this growing congregation.

Under his personal supervision all these buildings have been erected. His various accomplishments, covering as they do all branches of the building trades, has been of especial value to this parish in its constructive work. To the casual observer it would appear that he is his own architect, his own boss mason, his own superintendent, and I had almost said his own walking | follows:

But, my friends, the crowning work of your incomparable leader is the imposing church edifice on yonder park. This stately building, unsurpassed for location, commanding the admiration of all, a credit to the parish, so ornament to the town, and let us hope a lasting monument to the name of him who has given the energies of his life in the founding and establishing of this parish and tols oburch. The church exists for use, not ornsment. Let then its beneficent influences go forth throughout this community, lifting up those who are cast down, comforting those who are afflicted, and pointing the way that leads to life eternal. Let the teachings of these schools have for its object the upbuilding of character. Educate these young people in hand and heart and fit them for the duties of life. Inspire them to nobler ideals and

grapder purposes. It has been my privilege to be connected with the public school system of our town for nearly twenty-five years, extending to a period just previous to scholars were of Catholic parentage, but soon began to drop out, and it is fair to presume dropped into the parochial school. And now, my triends, I can wish no greater good than, yet for another twenty-five years, you keep our good friend with you, and I can wish you no greater measure of success than you have experienced in the past. Go on

then in the good work. Your means are greatly enlarged, the field unlimited. Your ability has been femonstrated, your duty is realized

Let now the obligation be fully met. Following Mr. Oakes, Chairman Quinn ptroduced G. Lee Stout, another promibent citizen of the town who had always manifested a friendly interest towards the people of the Church of the Sacred Heart and with the rector of the church. Mr. Stout disclaimed any ability to make an oration such as might be the bridegroom. Miss Sable Ferguson appropriate to the event which the was bridesmaid, and she was at scopie had gathered to colebrate, and white Persian lawn, tr se had so informed the committee who and wore a gold brees In Disconfield, and he also spake to be present, but he said he would be bride. Edward W. Form but ogly of the bright and the general gladly attend and make a few remarks the bride, and resolved and the with which the people of the by way of attenting his expressation of the bride. Edward W. Form but with which the people of the by way of attenting his expressation of the bride. Edward W. Form but with which the people of the by way of attenting his expressation of the bride. Edward W. Form but with which the people of the bride and the great work in the bride. Edward W. Form but with which the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the bride of the bride. Edward W. Form but only the bride of the b

FINE CONCERT

Given by the Quartette and Choir of Westminster Presbyterian Church Tuesday Night-Jarvie Memorial Hall Filled with an Appreciative and Delighted Audience-An Excellent Programme.

A notable musical event took place on Tuesday night in Jarvie Memorial Hall, when the quartette and choir of Westminster Presbyterian Church gave a complimentary concert. Notwithstanding the stormy weather, upwards of six hundred people were present and enjoyed the music. The concert was a pleasing affair, artistically and socially. It was the first time that some of the people present had attended an affair of the kind in this town, and they were agreeably surprised with the beautiful hall and the excellence of the music, Miss Stockwell, the new contraito at Westminster, made her first appearance in a public concert here on this occasion. She delighted the large audience and had to respond to an enthusiastic encore. She is a remarkably talented musician and has a promising future. The tones of her rich full voice filled the large ball with perfect case.

Mr. Rouband has few superiors as bass sloger in church music. He belongs to Bloomfield, and the people here are proud of his ability and talent, and he is always sure of an appreciative welcome. The solo selection from "The Queen of Sheba" sung by Mr. Roubaud Tuesday night was not in accord with his best line of work. He was more at home in his second selection "Even bravest hearts may swell " from Faust, which he carried through magnificently.

Miss Polhamus was assigned the arduous task of sustaining the soprano role in Max Bruch's stirring cantata "Fair Ellen." She acquitted herself admirably and afforded great pleasure to her wide circle of friends here. Miss Polhamus's work is not new to the public. She has been heard for several years in Westminster Church, and has done much towards keeping up the fine reputation which the quartette enjoys.

Mr. Handel, the Westminster quartette tenor, also sustained a solo role in the captata in a creditable manner. This part, being written for baritone, at first, but ever increasing and always gave Mr. mandel very little opportunity to show the fine quality of his voice, He sings with a style and finish that shows the well-trained musician.

> Mr. U. C. Gosswelller, a young must clan from Newark, rendered several cello solos which were well received, and evidenced that the young man had a skilful mastery of that instrument.

> The chorus work throughout the ectire programme was fine. The Swablan Folk-song "Come, Dorothy Come," was supers piece of work and delighted the audience. The chorus showed the result of excellent training on the part of Mr. Minier, who on this occasion made his first appearance here as a conductor. Heretofore he has always been obliged to accompany the chorus as organist. The programme was as

> Chorus, The Miller's Wooting. E Fanting Cello, Caprice Hongroise, Mr. Gossweller. Dunkler b) I love and the world is mine. (b) "At Parting,"
> Miss Stockwell.

Chorus, (a) Come, Dorothy, Come, b) "Happy Day," Country Dance, from
"Robin Bood" De Koven Cello, Etude Caprica, Mr. Gossweller.
Part Song, The Bee and the Dove, F, H. Cower

Quartet She alone charmeth my Sadness. air from "The Queen of Shepa. Mr. Roubaud Fair Ellen, For Soprano, Tenor and Chorus Max Bruch

The chorus consisted of Sopranos-Miss Newton, Mrs. Handel, Miss Shaw, Miss Duncan, Miss Russell, Miss Ferguson, Miss Van Tasset, Miss Palmer, Miss Teall; altos-Miss Defendorf, Mrs. Sutphen, Miss Schoonmaker, Miss Imhoff, Mrs. MacLean, Mrs. Boyd, Miss Moyer, Mrs. Willits, Miss Biggart; tenors-Mesers. Woodward, Moull, Shearer, Spear, Lyail, Gock, Healy; bassos-

Biggart, Williams, Schouler. After the concert those who took part in the concert and a number of friends spent a social hour in the church par-Vocal and instrumental music were features of the affair, Mr. Goseweiter playing some very delightful cello music. The members of the chorus presented their leader, Mr. Minier, with a handsome silver and ivory ornamented baton.

Messrs. Scott, Amerman, Sheldon, Rowe,

Ferguson-Butterfield.

Miss Clara Butterfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Butterfield of Kearny, and Charles R. Ferguson of this town were married at the home of the bride in Halstead Street, Tuesday afternoon. The Rev. Dr. Hutchinson officiated

The bilde was attired in mous eline de sole trimmed with Mexican drawn work, and carried white bride roses. She wore a pearl sunburst, the gift of

MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

Subject of a Conference Wednesday Night Between the Board of Trade's Sub Committee on Municipal Affairs and the Rembers of the Town Council-Special Meeting of the Board of Trade Called for Thursday Evening,

An important public matter will soon demand the attention of the people of this town. It is now well known that the Town Council recently took important steps towards purchasing land and erecting a municipal building. The alleged necessity for better fire houses impelied the Council to action in that direction. The Council's proposed action in the matter of a municipal building was governed chiefly by utilitarian and economical motives, and the project as outlined was intended to effect a reduction below the present renals paid out now for town offices, police and fire headquarters. The Council's plan called for a neat and substantial brick building located on the north side of Washington Street between the Centre and the rail-

At the June meeting of the Board of Trade David G. Garabrant brought up the matter of a municipal building for discussion. Chairman George Peterson of the Town Council gave the members of the Board of Trade a detailed account of the Council's plans in the matter and the steps so far taken towards carrying out. The objection made by Mr Garabrant and others to the Council's scheme was that the plans of the Council did not call for the kind of a building that the people wanted for a town hall and the location was not suitable. Mr Peterson conceded the validity of both objections, but said that the Council was governed in its action by a knowledge of the state of the public purse and the immediate needs of the town. Fire houses, Mr. Peterson said, were an actual necessity, and the best location for affording the most efficient fire protection was the principal question in view when the Council selected the opinion of the Council that an addition of a lew thousand dollars to the proposed issue of bonds for fire houses would enable the Council to construct a building that could also be used for all other town purposes. Mr. Peterson admitted that a \$50,000 building on the Nash Corner property would be much more desirable, but the present Town Council did not believe that the people were in a position to assume any further bonded indebtedness at present other than what was actually necessary. Some members of the Board of Trade were fearful that the Council might go ahead with the Washington Avenue plan, and it was decided to have an early conference of the Board of Trade Committee on Municipal Affairs and the members of the Town Council for the purpose of considering the project of a municipal building. That conference was held Wednesday night in the Town Council room, and a special meeting of the Board of Trade will be held Thursday evening, July 2d, to hear the report of the committee.

Death of Charles H. Burckett.

Charles H. Burckett, a resident of this town for several years, died suddenly at his home, No. 128 Linden Avenue, on Thursday morning, the 25th instant.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Mellen, who served with distinction in the Revolutionary war and at one time aide-decamp to General Washington.

At the time of his death Mr. Burckett was president of the Malt Creamlet Company and also interested in several important inventions.

He is survived by two brothers, Walter . and James Mellen Burckett, wellknown residents of Montclair, and his widow nee Mary Martin, of Deckertown, whom he married June 2, 1897. Mr. Burckett was a sincere Christian

and a devoted husband.

Flag Raising at Glen Ridge. The flag raising and opening of " Fernwood," the Essex County Fresh Air Home in Gien Bidge, which was postpoped from last week, will take place this afternoon. The home is on Ridgewood Avenue. The flag was presented by the Christian Endeavor Societies of one of the churches in Newark. Short addresses will be made by the President of the Union, John T. Sproull, and other officers. Miss Minnis C. Ginger has been engaged to act as matron during the summer and Miss Edna B. Dodd has been appointed as a kindergarten teacher.

The Oldstnobile.

Daughter of Jairus. Stainer's sacred cantata " The Daughter of Jairus" was sung in the Park M E. Church Sunday evening by the Park Choral Union, assisted by Miss C. S. Doll, soprano; Raymond Smith, tenor; E. S. Campbell, base; Miss Florence Selick, organist, and Miss Emma Spencer, assistant organist. The production was under the direction of Prof. P. J. Smith, conductor of the union. There was a large attendance at the service. The members of the Choral Union were warmly congratulated over the successful rendition of the cantata. The cantata programme was arranged as

Choral Recitative,
In that Day shall the Lord of Rosts.
Miss C. S. Doll Becitative (soprano),

Behold there cometh unto Jesus,

Baymond Song (tenor), Bayman Song (tenor), My hope is in the Everlasting."

Miss C. S. Doll Recitative (soprano). "Then Jesus Cometh." Soprano and altos. "The Wailing." Becttative (soprano), Miss.

'And when Jesus was come. Tenors and bassos. "Chorus of Unbelievers." Recitative and Chorus,

Maid, I say unto thee arise."
Miss Doll and Choral Edion.
Chor "Awake thou that sleepest." Duet(soprano and tener),
"Love divine all love excelling."

Tris and Chorus.

"To Him who left His throne on High."

Miss Dolf, Mr. Smith, Mr. Campbell, and Chorsi
Union. Miss Doll and Mr. Smith

The chorus was arranged as follows: Sopranos-Miss Ida Albey, Miss Willetta Baldwin, Miss Etta Brown, Miss Florence Carl, Miss Lillian Galloway, Miss Bertha Gilbert, Miss Florence Hunt, Miss Emily Rawson, Miss May Wilson. Altos-Miss Grace Biggart, Miss Elsie Carl, Miss Helen Clark, Miss Viola Kerr. Miss Lulu Muetter, Miss Florence Plerson, Miss Mary Sammis. Tenors-Mr. Albert Dawkins, Mr. Irving Dorr, Mr. James Dupre, Mr. William Shears, Mr. Leonard Wells, Bassos-Mr. Fred S. liam Sharp, Mr. Crawford Smith, Mr. Abram Wilson, Mr. T. R. Wilson.

Brookside School. The eighth grade graduating exercises in Public School No. 3, (Brookside), took place in the echool hall Thursday people in that school district. The reci- gratifying results of their work. The graduates, and Superintendent of led by Prof. Smith was a p Schools William E. Chancellor made an feature of the affair. A solo be interesting address and presented the Gertrude Irene Wilde of the gr certificates. In the programme given below the name of Eisle May Frank does not appear. She is a member of the graduating class, but was excused from recitation on account of illness. The following is the programme of

Italian Hymn; Scripture Reading, Prayer, Rev. C. S. Woodruff, D. D.; Recitation, Thanatopsis, Bryant, Eather. Helen Blumenfeld; Declamation, Schools and Colleges of our Country, Eliot, Frederick J. Leise; Chorus, Hail to the Queen of Night; Recitation, The Wreck of the Hesperus, Longfellow, Elsie Littell Condit; Composition, Bloomfield, Miss Taylor, George William Rohrig; Chorus, The Midshipmite, Adams; Recitation, An order for a Picture, Carey, Carolyn Ball Langstroth; Chorus, Flow Gently Sweet Afton; Plano Solo, Gavotte Impromptu, Pizarello, Eisle Littell Condit; Recitation, The Owl Critic, James T. Field, Harry Walsh; Recitation, The Angels of Buena Vista, Whittier, Jeannette Collins Taylors; Chorus, Gcd for Us; Presentation of Mr. Burckett was a great grandson of | Certificates, William E. Chancellor; Chorus, America.

A good game of base-ball is promised for this afternoon on the Arlington Avenue grounds, when the American Sheet Steel Company's team from the New York office, will play the Watsessing team. The New York club is said to be made up of a combination of expert athletee.

Stolen Horse Recovered. Samuel Berry of Paterson obtained search warrant Tuesday from Resorder Thomas P. Day of Nutley and accompanied by Chief of Police Knabb of the latter place, went to Brookdale, where they discovered a horse which the complainant says was stolen from him two months ago. The animal was found in the stable of Frederick Stimes, a farmer. The latter was not at home, but a man employed by him stated that the horse was purchased from a dealer in Newark and had changed hands several times before his employer came into posses-

Ladles' costumes, shirt-waist suits, appy waists, cut and basted. Pinishing touches to home-made gowns. Lace and embroidered collars for sale, High grade patterns out to measure, Call 10 K. M. to 4 P. M. Mondays and Seturdays excepted. MRS. CONWAY, 87 Minton Street near Washington Street. brmerly of 1724 Broadway, N. Y .- Adot,

ding Offic may be seen at the Dorflinger Girls Storm, 3 and 5 West 19th Street, upper Fifth Avenue, and 36 Marry Street, New York .- Add.

COMMIL TERMEN

GRADUATION EXERCISES HILLS SCHOOL AND GRAMMAR DEPARTMENTS.

High School Class of 1993 Fundament its Public School Work Law You Large Class Promoted Con-School to the Mirk Websel cises at Watsessing School.

The Twenty-third High School commencement took place last night in the First Presbyterian Church. The church was crowded with spectators, Tofollowing is the programme of ere Organ Voluntary: Grand Of

At the organ Mr. J. Louis I At the plano Miss Plorance Musical Director Mr. P. J.

That the people of the Third Ward are deeply interested in the Public School No. 8, (Watsessing), was amply demonstrated Thursday night when the first commencement held in that school took place. The large school hall was crowded with the relatives and friends of the graduating class of nine girls who had finished the Grammer department Blight, Mr. William Dawkins, Mr. Wil. course. An enjoyable programme of entertainment was carried out and was accompanied by demonstrations of enthuslasm on the part of the audience equal to that which marks a high school commencement.

The commencement was a great sucnight and was largely attended by the of teachers were congratulated over the tations were well delivered by the singing by a large charact of children class was received w and the young mended. Following is the

Essay, Rip Van Winkle

School) promoted a class of thirty.

scholars from the eighth grade to High School this year. The follow are the members of the class: May Adams, Alethia Sherbrook Blas er. Fannie May Bennest Cook, Lizzie Demmert, E. er, Adele Katherin Jessie Woodruff Fitch, Lily L 60, 1.98 Selbert, He Frank Oriso recentle and liner effects, peaks, all sizes, 500. wher garment and should be

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